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McGuire's changing fortunes

"If you play with skunks, you end up smelling like them."

--Frank McGuire
October, 1977

By Dan Klores

In March of this year, Osceola outlined a brewing feud within the University of South Carolina athletic department between head basketball coach Frank McGuire and head football coach Jim Carlen. Although that story dealt with the difference between the two men over re-entry into the Atlantic Coast Conference, insiders at USC said the feud involved a struggle for power over and control of the athletic department more than anything else. At that time, both men denied there was any feud between them.

More recently,there has been a move to oust McGuire from his position as head coach and to kick him upstairs into a position where he can fade away, so to speak. Again, the rumors abound that Carlen and his quest for power are behind it. Another popular theory is that Sol Blatt, Sr., the longtime power monger of the South Carolina House of Representatives, is involved. Some say he was disgruntled when McGuire refused his request to make his grandson, Greg Blatt, chief assistant after assistant coach Donnie Walsh left South Carolina for the pro ranks.

Dan Klores is a native New Yorker and has been in this state for about six months working on a book to be entitled "Roundball Culture: South Carolina Basketball, 1963-1978." The book is to be published next fall. During his tenure, Klores has interviewed many of the principals involved in the struggle. Here, he offers some personal opinions on the latest controversy.

There are numerous things wrong with Frank McGuire being offered a position as administrator of USC's regional campus athletic programs, not the least of them is the droll sight of envisioning him residing in Conway and being forced to retire before his contact legally expires.

Frank McGuire is the solitary reason why the University's athletic program has a national reputation. He has served the community, state and school in a manner reflecting his gentlemanliness, dynamism, charm, and considerable skills. Due to the accomplishments of the teams he brought to Columbia, a basketball frenzy enveloped a state which prior to those moments knew or cared little of the game. Some of his predecessors achieved a very modest amount of success, but it was McGuire's Gamecock teams who not only fulfilled native sport enthusiasts' romantic visions by venturing down North Carolina's Tobacco Road and trouncing the opposition but who were responsible for the statewide growth and interest in basketball on all levels.

The latest ignoble battle between the University's Board of Trustees and Coach McGuire--influenced by the aging Sol Blatt, Sr.--may prove to be a more livid blemish on the Board than their infamously imponderable law school dictum of years back.

These are some of the same men who could not wait to bring McGuire here in the early 1960s. They cheered his every move as a winning basketball tactician, chortled with satisfaction as his teams brought a sense of pride to a much-maligned university, and offered him countless pats on the back, smiles, raises and who knows what else.

To Frank McGuire, a product of the Progressive remnants of New York City ghetto life, loyalty remains his most cherished trait. Yet what lingers in his mind is the lack of reciprocation. The origins of this now open feud date back to another one of the board's poorer judgements, leaving the Atlantic Coast Conference, a league the University helped to organize and was an integral part of. Former football coach Paul Dietzel promised the local football fans the world on a platter. He was responsible for building outstanding facilities, but he failed to win games. As a last resort, he claimed it was the ACC's entrance requirements that prohibited him from being successful. He demanded that either the seven other schools lower their standards or USC leave. Exit South Carolina.

It is true Coach McGuire acquiesced to the University's departure from the league at that time, but his reasons were quite different from Dietzel's. The bitterness amongst and between conference basketball players, fans and coaches had reached such an intoxicating level of intensity, the game ceased to be fun for the participants. Coach McGuire and his players were pelted with eggs, hit with heated copper pennies from the balconies of university gymnasiums, hung in effigy and physically abused by fans well beyond what is in good taste, even at athletic events. Casey Manning, the first black player on the USC squad, was castigated by Clemson fans. McGuire was taunted about his mentally retarded son and deceased wife. His chair was pulled from under him when he tried to seat himself on the sidelines. Still, the decision to leave the ACC was prompted by, supported and voted upon by a USC football staff mesmerized by their dream of the Gamecocks playing at the Orange Bowl. (The only squad Dietzel would ever take to Miami was a group of scouts.)

Who can say if peace could have restored? The mayhem was real, and McGuire did not realize how much leaving the ACC would damage his program. No longer could he and Donnie Walsh sell the intensity, publicity, fanfare and renown of the conference to prospective recruits. And fans would sorely miss taking part in the natural rivalries built into conference play.

Into this setting came Jim Carlen, demanding to be athletic director, talking of re-entering a conference, sounding exactly as he had

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Good Old New Orleans

Note to Discriminating Readers: My latest contribution to the national belles-lettres is to be found in the November 11 edition of National Review. It's an article titled "Pistol-Whipped."

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While Columbia bathed itself in gaudy self-congratulatory hoopla over the opening of its refurbished downtown last week, I was spending a few days in a *real* city, namely, New Orleans. What a delectable difference! Columbia suffocates in the eternal leaden air of Fundamentalist dullness; New Orleans thrives in the happy ambiente of French laissez-faire. Columbia's nightlife (hah!) is a piddling chimera; Bourbon Street is a world-famous nightly carnival, full of music, laughter and sex. In New Orleans, the food is magnificent (my favorite is crepes shrimp aux vin blanc); the architecture is elegant; the women--blackhaired and light-skinned--are friendly. There's good all-night television. There are excellent FM radio stations (WTUL rightly calls itself "the leader of progressive radio in New Orleans"). And yes, there are actual magazines and books readily available for sale. Here is a city! To hell with good, clean Christian fun. Give me the baubles of civilization. New Orleans makes me proud of my French ancestry.

It takes more than a couple of new sidewalks to make a city. On the plane back from New Orleans, I set to wondering whether Columbia, dismal bland burg that it is, will ever be a worthy city, a civilized place to live, even a pleasurable metropolis. But the line of thought was too depressing to contemplate. Columbia is a place to escape from. (Not for nothing does a new book of "bests" and "worsts" list Columbia as one of the 30 worst places to live in America--and Columbia is near the bottom of the list.) Columbia's best people usually leave the town, sooner or later. Those who remain to take power are the avatars of the city's repressive mediocrity. How can their mentality be explained? H.L. Mencken did it thusly: "There is only one honest impulse at the bottom of Puritanism, and that is the impulse to punish the man with a superior capacity for happiness--to bring him down to the miserable level of 'good' men, i.e., of stupid, cowardly, and chronically unhappy men."

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But perhaps it's fatuous to even compare New Orleans and Columbia. As well compare diamonds to sandstone, nay, to horse dung. And some say Columbia's the way it is because that's the way most Columbians want it. Yet I have my doubts. The city, and indeed the state, have always been run by an ignorant gerontocracy that revels in its aridity. Somehow the urge for the smug security of the banal predominates, in such men, over any natural human impulse to live life elegantly, to transcend the bounds of mundane existence. By contrast, the best cities, those such as New Orleans or New York, add some glamour, some spice to life. We may live our lives in the small detail of our daily routines, but one would think it only natural to yearn for those touches of elegance a sophisticated city provides. Such yearning, however, is absent in these precincts. Here, such yearning is practically against the law.

When I lived in New York, I felt the common disdain of all New Yorkers for any part of the country east of the Hudson River, save California. In New York, one feels at the center of the world, at the very heart of all intellectual and cultural eminence. To cross the George Washington Bridge, one feels, is to enter a vast plain of Middle American nothingness. And I recall occasionally driving down here to South Carolina. When I would cross the border into this state, I knew I was truly in the provinces, in the poot, ugly, ignorant, empty regions. And I felt a panic, lest somehow, for some reason, I would be unable to escape, to get back to New York City. It was a vague dread that--God forbid--I would be trapped forever in this backwater, never again to savor the freedom, the options, the trinkets of high civilization. (For this reason I always preferred to fly down here, with a return ticket resting securely in my pocket.)

Am I thus chauvinistic, snobbish, perverse? Then so I am.

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To illustrate the small irritations of living here, consider Tuesday night: President Carter delivered his energy speech, and Channel 19, the local CBS outlet, carried it along with the other networks. But Channel 19 censored the CBS analysis of the speech. To fill the gaping hole in its programming made by such censorship, the station reran a "CBS Newbreak" snippet, and then sat for seven minutes with a "Gunsmoke" slide--seven minutes of dead air, just to make sure Columbians wouldn't be dabauched by Eric Sevareid's "communistic" commentary (notwithstanding the fact that Old Eric is about as big a radical these davs as Bill Buckley). Ah, the sheer idiocy of the fools who run this Godforsaken town.

It's all just too damn much. Whoever founded Columbia ought to be hung in permanent effigy, the dirty bastard. There are cities and there are cities, but Columbia isn't one of them.

cheap shots

Lest We forget

The following remarks are excerpted from a speech given by Tom Wicker, political columnist and associate editor of the New York Times, at a recent fundraiser for The Texas Observer.

When Osceola was organized five and a half years ago, its original editors looked upon the Texas Observer as the standard toward which they strived. Bearing the legend "A Journal of Free Voices," the Texas Observer has appeared bi-weekly in Texas for twenty years. As Wicker put it, "The Observer was a harbinger of the underground press at a time when no one understood that we needed an underground press in this country."

The masthead of the Texas Observer contains this statement: "We will serve no group or party but will hew hard to the truth as we find it and the right as we see it. We are dedicated to the whole truth, to human values above all interests, to the rights of humankind as the foundation of democracy; we will take orders from none but our own conscience, and never will we overlook or misrepresent the truth to serve the interests of the powerful or cater to the ignoble in the human spirit."

Wicker's remarks:

"The greatest danger to the American press is, and always has been the American press itself. The greatest danger to freedom of the press--to the First Amendment--is not that we are going to vote to repeal the First Amendment, it's not that some disreputable president will be able to squelch the liberties guaranteed by the First Amendment, it's not that the courts will interpret the First Amendment out of existence or that they will silence the press....

"The greatest danger to the American press is, and always has been that in an effort to gain profitability and respectability it will silence itself through self-censorship. And it is my judgement, over most of the history of American journalism that has been its shameful record...."

Don Welch at Wando hearing

Absurdity

In yesterday's paper we learn the chairman of the state ports authority believes it would be "absurd" for the recently organized S.C. Coastal Council to have a say in whether the controversial proposed port facilities should be built on the Wando River near Charleston.

W. W. "Hootie" Johnson, a prominent Columbia banker and purveyor of political power, told reporters the Wando proposal has been reviewed by every environmental agency in the state and "it seems to me to be an absurd action for us to have to go through another review by another state agency."

Johnson said the Ports Authority believes the Council is exceeding its authority and will seek action from the state Supreme Court to prevent the Council review.

Johnson's comments are in keeping with the hard line taken by the Ports Authority over the past year. The Authority position is best summed up in a statement by Authority Director W. Don Welch published in the Authority's public relations magazine "Port News."

"The State Ports Authority has demonstrated patience and compromise with the opposition in this matter," Welch wrote in the February 1977 issue. "Now, however, the objections and frustrating delays must be and will be drawn to a halt. The SPA intends to see the issue through, in an honorable but determined manner, resorting to every legal recourse to avoid what it regards as an unfortunate and certainly costly court battle."

Several points should be made relative to Johnson's remarks. First, the attorney general has ruled the law creating the Council provides that projects which are not yet underway are subject to Council approval. Admittedly, the attorney general's opinion is not law, and if the Ports Authority disagrees with the opinion, the Supreme Court is the proper place to seek relief.

But Johnson's argument concerning review by other state agencies is weak. It is well known that state agencies involved in environmental permitting in the past have been subjected to and have yielded to political pressure. One of the reasons the Council was created was to remove this responsibility from state agencies and place it in the hands of what is presumed to be an independent group.

Secondly, during the legislative debate on the coastal management bill, under which the Council was established, the Ports Authority lobbied long and hard to be excluded totally from the bill's jurisdiction. They were unsuccessful. Obviously, a majority of legislators felt the Ports Authority's activities should be permitted by the Council. And the majority were certainly aware of the Wando controversy and the fact that it would come under review by the Council.

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It is conceded by all concerned that the Wando project will have a significant impact on an area rich in valuable natural resources. The Coastal Council's mandate is to protect the public interest in the state's sensitive coastal areas. The Council has provisions for a speedy hearing followed by a speedy decision on the permit application. All this can be accomplished before a final decision is reached on the federal level.

The Ports Authority is an agency of government--as an agency of government it too has an implicit mandate to protect the public interest. The fight over the Wando has been bitter, and the public interest can best be served by allowing the Coastal Council to conduct a fair and impartial review of all sides of the argument.

Anita Bryant's Story

Pity poor Anita. The part time orange juice pusher, over-the-hill performer and full time queer chaser is now blaming militant homosexuals for her waning career. Bryant claims that protests and boycotts by militant homosexuals have jeopardized $100,000 a year job as an O.J. hawker. A decision on whether she will continue as the spokesperson for the Florida Citrus Commission is expected sometime this month.

"If there is an effect on my ability to do a good job, then I say fire me. But get it over with. Don't have someone who has a difference of opinion and put me on the cross once a month," Bryant said after a taping of the NBC Today Show, apparently taking her role as savior seriously these days.

Threats of pickets and demonstrations by gay activists and their supporters have caused the cancellation of several of Bryant's appearances, including a news conference scheduled by the publisher of the newly released "The Anita Bryant Story" (yawn).

"If that's the price I have to pay for standing as the concerned mother of my four children and to make it a decent country to live in, then it's worth the price," said Bryant, who campaigned against gay rights by claiming gays were biologically unable to reproduce and therefore had to recruit children to continue the species (?).

Bryant, who engineered the defeat of the Dade County gay rights ordinance, is now claiming that her rights are being violated.

"I believe in the right to differ in this country (though presumably not in sexual preference), and apparently that right is being taken away from me."

It's ironic that Bryant, whose major press came a dozen or so years ago when she was a beauty queen, and from her several thousand intrusions into American homes singing "The Florida Sunshine Tree," should complain that because of her anti-gay campaign she is on the way to becoming an "ex-entertainer." For one thing to be an "ex" anything you have to have been that thing to begin with. And who do you know that ever labored under the impression that Anita was ever "entertaining?" For another thing, Bryant has received more press coverage since her campaign than she probably got in her entire life. Bryant has been no slouch in capitalizing on it either. I mean really; "The Anita Bryant Story?" A year ago that would have gone over about as well as "The Collected Speeches of Calvin Coolidge."

Bryant has also claimed her life has been threatened by the gays, but that none of her tribulations would deter her from fighting the creeping menace of blatant homosexuality.

"So they kill me" she says. "So what?"

On the road with Tom T.

Scott Graber, our Beaufort County Correspondent, sends this report:

On Thursday, October 20th, Tom Turnipseed brought his act to Jasper County, South Carolina. For two hours Turnipseed & Co. pushed, punched and otherwise did violence to SCE&G. Two hundred and fifty folks who gathered together (forsaking Hawaii Five-O and Barnaby Jones) loved every minute.

Turnipseed held forth in a high school gym ... a gym that reminded me of the sweat and showers and jockstraps of my faded youth. The audience was mostly blue jeans and khaki work pants. The people in those pants were obviously upset and worried and ready to respond.

Jasper County is a sinking county. The population declined between 1960 and 1970 and the economy has never been healthy.

Continental Can, Westvaco and an assortment of "hunting clubs" own or lease 175,000 acres (out of 400,000 in the county) and they keep this acreage in pine trees. These trees, classified as unimproved real estate, generate few jobs and little in the way of taxes.

Jasper County is not unlike Georgia in Tom Watson's day or Huey Long's Louisiana.

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"A lesser man than I am would have quit under the burdens I have faced the last few years." -- University of South Carolina head basketball coach Frank McGuire commenting on his last couple of seasons on October 15th. There has been a recent move at the university to kick McGuire upstairs.

"I would have liked to have seen the girls, but they were removed before I came. I'm told I live a sheltered life. I see what people mean." -- Britain's Prince Charles commenting in Brisbane, Australia where three bikini-clad women were hustled away moments before his arrival. The three women, whose bikinis were said to be too brief for the royal gaze, had come to the Brisbane airport to meet the prince.

"A depression, a recession and three wars haven't done to me what this 'beautification' has done to this place in 72 years of operation." -- Sign on the Capitol restaurant in downtown Columbia referring to the controversial renovation of Columbia's Main Street.

"Your name won't be on the ballot next year." -- Comptroller General Earl Morris responding to Gov. Edward's opposition to state revenue kickbacks to counties and municipalities.

"See if you can get the knothead of a clerk to put a notation along side my name 'old as Methuselah'. I am 77 years old of age and if you want me to fall asleep in the jury box, I'll come. If I did, I'd vote to hang'em all." -- Claire P. Boutin of Columbus, Ga. in a letter to the Muscogee County sheriff trying to explain that she was tired of repeated letters summoning her for jury duty.

quid pro quo

Last week, Osceola published a story by senior editor Elton Manzione that delved into what life is like for Columbia's transients--the self-described drifters, winos and bums who live at the edges of society.

This week Ken Denberg, a local freelance writer, sent us another article on the same subject, which he entitles "A Night Out with Skeeter Thomas." In a cover note, Denberg writes that "I...read the article on 'Bums, Winos, etc.' and felt that it lacked compassion and understanding for the men and women who are impoverished and thought of as skidrow types. So be it. I know Skeeter and he is not unhappy, or at least he conceals it very well."

We believe Manzione's article did demonstrate compassion and understanding, but we are happy to publish Denberg's point of view as well.

A night out with Skeeter

by Ken Denberg

Skeeter Thomas is a monument. He has been a figure of local color for years in the Five-Points area of Columbia. He paints walls, doors, insides and outsides of buildings. You name it and Skeeter says he'll paint it. Skeeter is five and a half feet tall and weighs about 130, he thinks, and is fifty-two or fifty-three years old. "I really can't remember and hell it ain't important anyway," he told me.

Skeeter works odd jobs for a living and can be seen toting a bread box or a coke crate, or if you go into one of the Five-Points Italian restaurants, you can find him wiping his brow over a long, square, stainless steel dish-washer. He has proverb after proverb: "I can find a place to sleep between a rock and a hard place where any other man couldn't," or "A B. C. powder and a small coke can cure a man of a headache better than any aspirin in the showcase."

"I got me a wife and kids in Florida. They don't write me much, and I don't write them much either. If I could spell better than I do, I would, but I'd spend the money on cigarettes."

"I ride the freights when I need to get someplace. I go down to the mill village and wait for one that's headin' south or north, or whatever way I need to go. That's all. I just pack my suitcase and go down there and wait for one. I find a boxcar that's empty and I climb in once the train starts to move. If you get on before that the wing man will catch you, maybe beat you, and sometimes leave you in pretty bad shape. You wait for the thing to get moving and then nobody is going to catch you, I swear it."

"...I can't paint a thing until I get a good belt in me. I got the shakes most of the time because I drink too much. You don't think I know that, do ya? Well, if I get one in, and feel that wine run in me, I can slow down and pick up that brush and paint as even as you want, anything you want..."

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"There's a lot of folks in this city that look out for me. I don't know why, 'cause I ain't no good for nothing. I can usually pick up an odd job doing something, and sometimes I don't want to go to work, and I don't have to. I ain't got no be any one place unless I'm broke or want a little taste. People think that's crazy. But I say they're crazy. All these middle-aged men dropping out from some disease or another and got everything made for themselves, too. I just go about my business and take it easy. I get sick and I go to the home. I need clothes and I go to the home. I get hungry and can't find no money, I go to the home."

Skeeter isn't one to brag, but he says he's got more friends than anybody in the whole town. He knows everybody and everybody knows him. Well, just about everybody. I followed him around on Friday afternoon and his name was called by passersby. Then he shouts in a rasping voice to a man in a late model Chevy, "James, you old rascal," and James calls back, "Skeeter, you old good for nothing," and they both laughed. "Watch this," he said. Skeeter went behind the post office and I went after him. "Looky what I got me" he said when we got there, "a whole bottle of Fire Engine, ye-ha! You want some?" I said yes and took a good drink. "We finish this and I got to go wash Joe's dishes. He'll be mad at me if I don't show up and I ain't never let Joe down. And that's one man I ain't never going to let down."

"You can come on if you want to, Kemp; I don't think he'll mind." So I did. We walked around the other side of the bicycle shop and he lead me through the parking lot. When we got around the corner a large Doberman jumped out and Skeeter checked him with a yell and the slap of his Sherwin-Williams cap. "Shut-up you ole dog, and get back over there before we tussle." The dog obeyed.

Once inside the kitchen Skeeter looks around and introduces me to his machine. "This is Louise, and she's a good girl." Everybody in the kitchen knows Skeeter and they all come out and greet him and ask him what he's

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Turnipseed began by outlining the ownership of SCE&G. He explained that the major stockholders were Morgan Guaranty Trust, The Chase Manhattan Bank, The New York Stock Exchange, First National City Bank and Manufacturers Hanover. Explaining that the owners were not "friends or neighbors" or South Carolinians.

Then Turnipseed slowly and carefully explained the relationship between Morgan Guaranty and oil companies like Exxon. He explained how the oil companies that controlled the banks controlled SCE&G.

Tom Turnipseed taught the fundamentals of the utility business to an audience that wanted to listen.

The audience stayed with Turnipseed during this explanation, but they came alive when he talked about profits.

"Electric bills are almost as high as rent ... there's nothing wrong with profits, but when you put profits before people, that's a problem," said the Senator, who placed much of the blame on fellow lawmakers who were "prostitutes for any special interest that can come up with a fee".

"We raised Hell at the rate hearings ... excuse me Reverend, but that's the only way I can say it ... we let them know this ripoff has to end ... and we're going to take the example of black folks. The folks who took to the streets because they had faith. We're going into the streets with this fight."

Turnipseed talked about greed, homes on Lake Murray and coffee tables costing $2000.00. Huey Long would have felt good about Tom Turnipseed.

But there was more for the Ridgeland audience. Following Turnipseed to the stage was Columbia's penny-pitching businessman, David Armstrong.

Abandoning a malfunctioning microphone, Armstrong roamed the stage telling his story.

"I was a drifter (sinner)," Armstrong said. "But these people were killing me. How am I going to make those people believe they're killing David Armstrong, killing my family? Well, what about paying my bill with 25,000 pennies?"

Armstrong was marvelous. He made the audience laugh, weep and curse the darkness. David Armstrong was the best show in town — notwithstanding Barnaby Jones and Hawaii Five-O.

"They said, 'we're going to get you for littering' ... I told them, who ever heard of anyone littering with money?"

After Turnipseed and Armstrong, the crowd was ready to move out of the bleachers and march on the local utility. The audience, about half black, was responding in the manner of a backwoods revival service. They were angry.

Bob Guild, a Columbia attorney, made the final appearance. Guild was more reserved, less flamboyant than his two predecessors.

He explained that the utilities could be beaten. He told the audience that the Public Service Commission would respond to their letters and phone calls.

Tom Turnipseed is a populist in the tradition of Long, Watson and Wallace. He has the voice, the intensity, the rhythm and the issue. And the American South has always been receptive to populism. Tom Watson of Georgia gave bankers, merchants and corporation executives regular floggings. Huey P. Long went after oil companies, judges and newspaper editors. The people responded to Watson and to Long and the people in Ridgeland responded to Tom Turnipseed.

If this man can get his story into enough gymnatoriums, tell his story to enough people, collect enough quarters, Tom Turnipseed is going to be a hard man to beat.

Frank McGuire

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"fire the kid, he hurts your recruiting. He's not ready yet and he can't relate to Northeasterners." But McGuire doesn't fire people he hires--he may not offer them much encouragement, but he will not fire them.

This past week Greg Blatt moved on to the Citadel. While he was at USC, some suggested he should have been named number one aide--there was even some ludicrous talk about making him McGuire's successor. Two days after Blatt left, McGuire was asked to give it up. Does it seem as if someone, somewhere, thought if Greg isn't there anymore, there is no reason for Frank's presence?

Frank McGuire built a nationally known powerhouse at South Carolina. He has represented the community, state, and most importantly, the University in a proficient, honest and forthright manner. He should be treated as he treats others, with respect. The unfortunate drawback to the coaching profession is its jurists know little of it. Most coaches are judged entirely by their win-loss record. That is regrettable. Coach McGuire is not the greatest basketball coach around, and legitimate criticism of his teams' style can certainly be made, but there is more to it than that. What does a coach help to teach his players off the arena? How great should a coach's interest be in them as growing, young college students? How important is it that players be able to look back after their careers are over and say it was a positive and worthwhile experience?

McGuire has accomplished much in his own domain. To restrain him from doing what he felt needed to be done to improve the basketball program, and then fire him for not improving the program, is unfair and smacks of the dirty infighting one wishes were reserved for the Barnwell Bunch only.

Admittedly, Frank McGuire has himself played the varied political games his culture dictates as necessary for one in his position. But he should not be the victim of these jousts. He has accomplished too much.

The answer is to appoint an athletic director who has no coaching responsibilities, re-enter the ACC, and remove the callous insult of naming merely the arena in the Coliseum he made famous after McGuire. Finally, offer all of the members of the Board of Trustees, Carlen and his football staff, the former university president, and Sol Blatt Sr. a chance to explain why not one of them congratulated this man for being inducted into the Hall of Fame of his profession.

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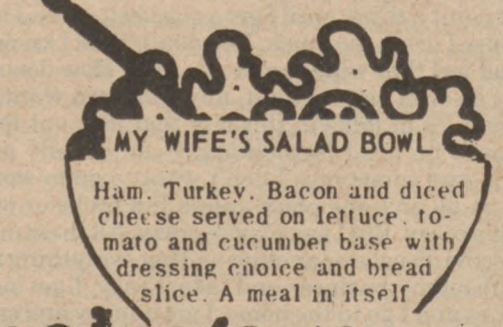
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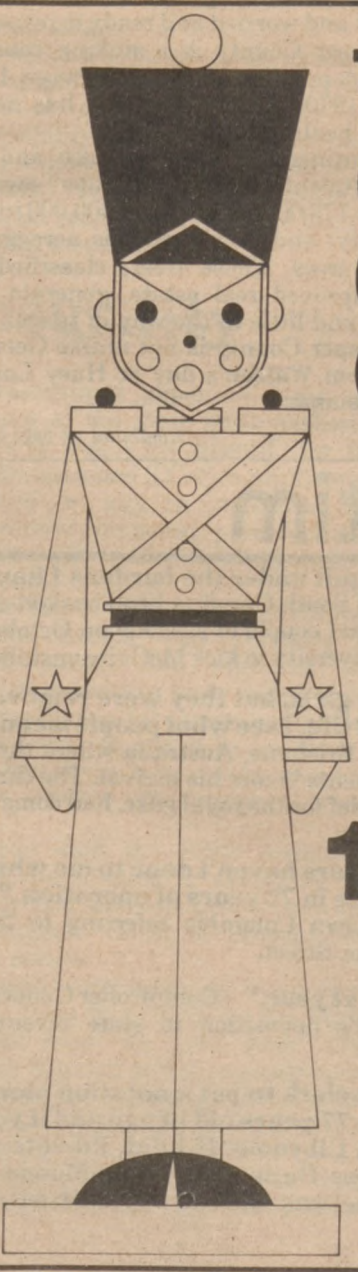

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Legal Notices

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Mitchell Hopkins, Administrator CTA of the estate of Vera Hopkins, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 21st day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.

October 20, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that H. Bland Hammond, Jr., Hugh H. DuBose and Henry D. Williard, Executors of the estate of Harriett H. Gregg, Deceased have this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executors; and that the 21st day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 20, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that William Lemuel Lawson, Committee of the estate of J.R. Lawson, NCM has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Committee; and that the 21st day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.d
October 20, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that T.W. Weathersby, Administrator of the estate of Ralph W. Weathersby, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 21st day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S. C.
October 20, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Sara Belle Shannon, Executrix of the estate of William Gilmore Shannon, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such executrix; and that the 21st day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 21, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that W. Shell Suber, Jr., Executor of the estate of J.D. Estes, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 21st day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 21, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Augustus T. Graydon, Executor of the estate of Julia Thomas Reese, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 28th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 24, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that James Trapp, Administrator of the estate of Frances T. Green, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 21st day of November 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 21, 1977
11/18

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of I. Hugh Boinest deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Ann C. Boinest, Executrix
c/o Joseph C. Good, Jr., Attorney
P.O. Box 764
Columbia, S.C. 29218
Columbia, S.C.
October 24th, 1977
11/8

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Mable S. Lucas has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Martin Sheldon Lucas deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFOERE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 8th day of November 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 24th day of October, A.C. 1977,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
11/11

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Sarah G. Jenkins has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Bell Jones Gold deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 8th day of November 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 24th day of October, A.D. 1977,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
11/11

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT

WHEREAS Mattie Critzer has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Doris Douglas Atkinson deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 7th day of November 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
11/11

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County,

WHEREAS Emma B. Holt has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of John F. Holt, Sr., deceased

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 7th day of November 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 21st day of October, A.D. 1977,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
11/11

SUMMONS AND NOTICE
State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE FAMILY COURT

DOCKET NO. 77-DR 40-2179
Annie L. Williamson,
Plaintiff,
-vs-
James Williamson,
Defendent.

TO: James Williamson, DEFENDENT ABOVE:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the Complaint for Divorce in this action, the original of which was filed in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County, Columbia, South Carolina, on September 27, 1977.

You are also required to serve a copy of your Answer on the Plaintiff's attorney at 2016 ½ Green Street, Columbia, South Carolina, within twenty (20) days after the service of this Summons, exclusive of the day of service. If you do not answer the Complaint within this period of time, the Plaintiff will ask the Court to grant the relief requested in her Complaint.

Edna Smith Primus
Attorney for Plaintiff
John R.T. Major
Clerk of Court
October 20, 1977
Columbia, South Carolina
11/11

SUMMONS
State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE RICHLAND COUNTY COURT
Heyward Sterling Jaco and Grace Leona Wilkerson Jaco,
Petitioners
-vs-
The minor known as Teresa Ann Carroll, under the care and control of D. Nathan Davis, and Roger Eugene Carroll,
Respondents.

TO: THE DEFENDANT ABOVE NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the Complaint in the above entitled action, a copy of which is hereby served upon lyou, and to serve your answer to the said Complaint upon the subscriber at their offices, 1338 Pickens Street, Columbia, South Carolina, within (20) days after the service hereof; and if you fail to answer the Complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this aciton will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said Complaint.

Robert E. Kneece
Kneece, Kneece, & Freeman
Attorneys for the Plaintiff
John R. Major Jr. LWH
Clerk of Court
Columbia, South Carolina
26th day of Sept., 1977

NOTICE
State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE RICHLAND COUNTY COURT
Heyward Sterling Jaco and Grace Leona Wilkerson Jaco,
Petitioners,
-vs-
The minor known as Tereas Ann Carroll, under the care and control of D. Nathan Davis, and Roger Eugene Carroll,
Respondents.

TO THE ABOVE—NAMED RESPONDENTS:

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that unless you apply within twenty (20) days from the date of service hereof, exclusive of the date of service and have a suitable person appointed Guardian ad Litem for the minor mentioned in the attached Petition, known as Tereas Ann Carroll, the Petitioners will apply to the Court and have a suitable person appointed as Guardian.

Kneece, Kneece & Freeman
Robert E. Kneece
Attorney for Petitioners
Columbia, South Carolina
26th day of Sept. 1977
11/11

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Phillip Randolph Stallings, Jr., has applied to me for Letters of Administraion on the estate of Phillip Randolph Stallings, Sr., deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased the be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 15th day of November 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 31st day of October, A.D. 1977,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County,
11/11

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Albertine Howell, Administratrix of the estate of Annie M. Howell, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 14th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 11, 1977
11/11

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Margie Hall, Executrix of the estate of Tommey Hall, Deceased has this day made applicaiton unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 28th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 28, 1977
11/25

CITATION
The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Emma Rose Foster has applied to me for Letters of Administration CTA on the estate of D. Ernest Foster deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 15th day of November 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 31st day of October, A.D. 1977,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
11/11

ESTATE NOTICE
All persons having claims against the estate of Ernestine A. Kaminer deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

H. G. Kaminer,
Administrator
6321 Pinehill Road
Columbia, S.C. 29206
Columbia, S.C.
October 20th, 1977
11/11

CITATION
The State of South Carolinas
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Collen M. Palermo has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Joseph D. Palermo deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 11th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 27th day of October, A.D. 1977,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
11/11

FINAL DISCHARGE
Notice is hereby given that Claudia Breazeale Braziel, Executrix of the estate of Wiley Moreland Braziel aka W.M. Braziel, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 14th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 12, 1977
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doing and why he's late. "I just am," he tells them, "I just am."

"Joe, this is Kemp, my helper for the night. And he's as good a washer as I am. I'll pay'em out of mine, if that's o.k." Joe says all right, and we get to it. He shows me how to pour the soap in, and what the red button means and what the green button means and how the emergency stop lever works. "If you got to stop the thing in a hurry, because your arm or sleeve is inside, you do this" and the machine grunted and screeched, and stopped.

The night went on, and we both imagined the crowd outside must be the biggest ever and "the dish racks were piling up on one another like crazy." The steam and the food and the glasses were all over and Skeeter's working twice as fast as me. Every now and then he'd say, "You take it Kemp, I'm going outside for a sip" and I'd be left with the behemoth washer. He calls inside, "you alright?" and I call back "yeah" over the rattle of chains and the clinking of plates and glasses.

Finally, the last dish and glass is put away and Joe comes back to where we are standing, or rather dripping, and he hands Skeeter some money. "Now you split it with him like you said, Skeeter." "A course I am, Joseph, don't worry about me and Kemp," Skeeter says.

"I got something round the back for us and you hurry up." I was trying to work the knot out of my apron when Skeeter pulled out his knife. I looked at him in disbelief. "There you go buddy," and the cord was in two pieces, and I threw the cloth in the laundry hamper and followed him out of the door.

Once outside Skeeter yells at the dog and tells him who I am just in case he forgot. "Wait right here." He goes into the bushes and comes back with a sack in his hand. "Now, I got three bottles in here and I'm going to give one to you for helping," and he opens one right there and turns it up. "Will is going to meet us in the park. He ain't going to like you at first, but leave that to me." We walk over to the shed and then to the creek and sit down. "He must not be here yet." So, we wait and drink our wine. Pretty soon we hear a man coming up and Skeeter says, "Will, that you boy?" and Will answers in a laugh, "Who you spectin', the Governor?" As he gets closer he wants to know who Skeeter's with. Skeeter says "it's my boy." "Your son?" asks Will. "No, he's my helper, and a darn good one, too."

Will was suspicious at first and he didn't talk too much, but that didn't last long. Skeeter brought out Will's bottle and that seemed to give the evening unction.

We sat there for a long time and Skeeter and Will got happier and I got drunker. They started talking about the "Woods Party" by the Southern tracks and how they ought to go, but didn't have a way. "Hell, Will," Skeeter says, "how do we get everywhere else?" Will is silent. "Walk," calls Skeeter.

I woke up early in the morning and they were gone, to the "Woods Party," I guessed. I had a headache and tried to walk slowly and evenly. I reached into my shirt pocket for a smoke and found a five tucked neatly inside, but my cigarettes were gone.

Skeeter's still around. "Just an old bum," he calls himself, but that isn't what he is, he's a man, and a good one. We get together and trade tales and complain some, but to Skeeter that's what making a day is: a little work, a little conversation, and a little play.

Legal Notices

SUMMONS FOR RELIEF
State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
SIDNEY PARK, INC.,
Plaintiff,
against
TOM ELLIOTT, as Treasurer and Tax Collector for Richland County; REV. ALBERT INGRAM, and as defendants whose names are unknown, any child or children and heirs at law and distributees of Rev. Albert Ingram, if he be deceased, and all persons entitled to claim under or thorugh them or any of them, NANCY H. SQUIRE MACK and WADE SQUIRE MACK, and as defendants all persons entitled to claim under or through them or any of them; also other persons or legal entitities unknown claiming any right, title, estate, interest in or lien upon the real property described in the complaint herein, any unknown adults on active duty in the military service as being as a class designated JOHN DOE; and any unknown infants or persons under disability being as a class designated RICHARD ROE; W.A. BOB JETER, AUDITOR, JOHN R.T. MAJOR, Clerk of Court, TOM ELLIOTT, Treasurer, being the Forfeited Land Commission,
Defendants.
TO THE DEFENDANTS ABOVE NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the complaint in this action of which a copy is hereby served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at their offices, 1108 Blanding Street, Columbia, S.C. within twenty days after the service thereof exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for relief demanded in the Complaint.

William T. Toal
JOHNSON, TOAL & BATTISTE, P.A.
Attorneys for Plaintiffs

Columbia, South Carolina
November 2, 1977.

LIS PENDENS
State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
SIDNEY PARK, INC.
Plaintiff,
-vs-
TOM ELLIOTT, as Treasurer and Tax Collector for Richland County; REV. ALBERT INGRAM; and, as defendants whose names are unknown, any child or children and heirs at law and distributees of Rev. Albert Ingram, if he be deceased, and all persons entitled to claim under or through them or any of them; NANCY H. SQUIRE MACK and WADE SQUIRE MACK and as defendants whose names are unknown any child or children and heirs at law and distributees of WADE SQUIRE MACK or NANCY H. SQUIRE MACK, and all persons entitled to claim under or through them or any of them; also, all other persons or legal entities unknown claiming any right, title, estate, interest in or lien upon the real property described in the complaint herein; and unknown adults on active duty in the military service being as a class designated JOHN DOE; and any unknown infants or persons under disability being as a class designated RICHARD ROE, W.A. Bob Jeter, Auditor and John R.T. Major, Clerk of Court, Tom Elliott, Treasurer, being the Forfeited Land Commission.
Defendants.

Notice is given hereby that an action has been commenced and is pending in this Court between the above named plaintiff and the defendants above named to confirm the fee simple title of plaintiffs and to bar forever any claim of any other person or legal entity whomsoever in and to the real property described as

All that piece, parcel or lot of land, with the improvements thereon, known as No. 1511 Gadsden Street, situate, lying and being on the western side of Gadsden Street, between Hampton and Taylor Streets, in the City of Columbia, County of Richland, State of South Carolina measuring on its Northern and Southern sides 104 feet, more or less; and on its Eastern and Western sid 35 feet more or less and being bounded o" the North by property n or formerly of Gregg, on the East by Gadsden Street; on the South by property now or formerly of Thomas; and on the West by property now or formerly of Johnson.

This is the identical property that was conveyed to plaintiff by deed of Sidney Park Associates, dated August 30, 1977 and recorded in the office of the said REgister of Mesne Conveyance in Deed Book at Page

JOHNSON, TOAL & BATTISTE, P.A.
William T. Toal
Attorneys for Plaintiffs
Columbia, South Carolina
September 15, 1977.

ORDER
State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
SIDNEY PARK, INC.
Plaintiff,
-vs-
TOM ELLIOTT, as Treasurer and Tax Collector for Richland Coutny; REV. ALBERT INGRAM; NANCY H. SQUIRE MACK and WADE SQUIRE MACK, et al.,
Defendants.

After due consideration of the petition for the appointment of J. Steeley Bogan, Esquire, as Gaurdian and Litem NISI for unknown infants and persons under disability, defendants in this aciton collectively designated as Richard Roe,

IT IS ORDERED that the said J. Steedly Bogan, be and he is hereby appointed Guardian ad Litem NISI for any unknown infants and persons under disability, defendants in this action collectively designated Richard Roe, and is authorized to appear and defend the said action on behalf of said Richard Roe, unless said minors and persons under disability, or either of them, or someone in their behalf, within twenty (20) days after service of this Order upon them as herein provided, shall procure the appointment of a guardian ad litem for said minors and persons under disability.

FURTHER, IT IS ORDERED that this Order shall be served upon said unknown infants and persons under disability, defendants herein collectively designated Richard Roe, by publicaiton of copy of the Order in "Osceola", a newspaper of general circulation published in Richland County, South Carolina, once a week for three (3) successive weeks.

C.C.C.P. & G.S., RICHLAND COUNTY, S.C.
Columbia, South Carolina
10/10 1977.
J.Steedley Bogan

LEGAL NOTICE

Please take notice that the Complaint in the above-styled case was filed on October 10, 1977.

Bill Toal
P.O. 1431 29202
11/25

SUMMONS
State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
Perpetual Building and Loan Association of Columbia, South Carolina,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Louise K. Hargis, Mary Lee Hargis, Gloria Evelyn Coalsen, and if any of the above be deceased, then John Doe and Richard Roe as representatives of all heirs at law or devisees of Louise K. Hargis, Mary Lee Hargis or Gloria Evelyn Coalsen and also as representatives of all heirs or devisees and all persons entitled to claim under or through them or any of them; the heirs at law of the Estate of Wesley Hargis; also any other persons unknown claiming any right, title, interest in, or lien upon the real estate described in the Complaint herein, any unknown adults having as a class designated as John Doe and any unknown infants or persons under a disability or persons in military services designated as a class as Richard Roe; Noland Credit Company,
Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the foregoing aciton has been commenced, and is now pending, in the Court of Common Pleas for Richland County, State of South Carolina, between the parties above named, upon a foreclosure proceeding on the property of the above named Defendents for the purpose of restraining said Defendants from disposing of the following described real estate and defrauding their creditors, namely, the Plaintiff above mentioned. The said property was, at the time of the commencement of this action, and presently at the time of the filing of this notice, situate in Richland County, and is described as follows:

All that ceratin piece, parcel, and lot of land, with improvements thereon, situate, lying and being near the City of Columbia, in the County of Richland, State of South Carolina; said lot and property being shown, delineated, and designated as Lot No 16, in Block "E", on a plat of the subdivision known as Alta Vista, made by James C. Covington, C.E., dated November 15, 1948, and recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County in Plat Book "M" at Page 195.

RATCHFORD, ELEAZER AND COOPER
James D. Cooper, Jr..
Attorney for the Plaintiff
Columbia, South Carolina
This day of October, 1976.

ORDER APPOINTING GUARDIAN AD LITEM NISI AND ATTORNEY FOR PERSONS IN MILITARY SERVICES
State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
Perpetual Building and Loan Association of Columbia, South Caorlina,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Louise K. Hargis, Mary Lee Hargis, Gloris Evelyn Coalsen, and if any of the above be deceased, then John Doe and Richard Roe as representatives of all heirs at law or devisees of Louise K. Hargis, Mary Lee Hargis or Gloris Evelyn Coalsen and also as representatives of all heirs or devisees and all persons entitled to claim under or through them or any of them; the heirs at law of the Estate of Wesley Hargis; also any other persons unknown claiming any right, title, interest in, or lien upon the real estate described in the Complaint herein, any unknown adults having as a class designated as John Doe and any unknown infants or persons under a disability or persons in military services designated as a class as Richard Roe; Noland Credit Company,
Defendants.

It being made to appear to me that unknown parties may exist who may have an interest in the real estate sought to be obtained in this action, and that these unknown persons may be suffering from some legal disability, be minors, or be in the military service of the USA, and, therefore, require representation by a guardian ad litem or an attorney,

Now, upon motion of Ratchford and Cooper, Attorneys for the Plaintiff,

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, that Donald E. Jonas, Esquire, attorney at law, of Columbia, South Carolina, be and hereby is appointed as Gaurdian ad Litem for the said unknown persons in the military service in this aciton, unless within twenty (20) days after service of the notice of this appointment upon him as provided by law, he shall have appointed some other person to act as Guardian ad Litem or as his attorney.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that this Order be served upon the said persons by publication in the same manner as the Summons in this action.

AND IT IS ORDERED.
Jasper M. Cureton, Master-In-Equity
Richland Coutny
Columbia, South Carolina
This 18th day of October, 1977.

CONSENT

I consent to act as Guardian ad Litem NISI and attorney for the unknown defendants as set out in the above Order.

Donald E. Jones
SWORN TO before me this
14th day of October, 1977
James D. Cooper, Jr., (L.S.)
Notary Public for South Carolina
My Commission Expires: 5-31-84
11/18

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Lillian Baldwin deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Percy Baldwin, Executor
c/o D.W. Robinson, Atty.
P.O. Box 944
Columbia, S.C. 29020
Columbia, S.C.
October 25, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Alvin Fender Wise, Executor of the estate of Ollie F. Wise, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 1st day of December 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.c.
October 31, 1977
11/25

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Burnell Sloan, Executor of the estate of Mildred Fellers Haltiwanger, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 1st day of December 1977,a t 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petiton.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 31, 1977
11/25

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Delores Brown, Administratrix CTA of the estate of Thomas J. Farley, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 1st day of December 1977,at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 31, 1977
11/25

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Nancy G. Glover has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Sarah Gadson deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 15th day of November 1977 at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 31st day of October, A.D. 1977,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
11/11

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Nichols P. Pechilis, Administrator of the estate of Guy L. (Bob) Robinson, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 14th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 11, 1977
11/11

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Betty Jean Doyle, Administratrix of the estate of Edward Donald Doyle, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 14th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 11, 1977
11/11

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Richard M. Roeder, Trust of the estate of Pearle R. Wilson, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Trustee; and that the 14th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 14, 1977
11/11

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Ollie Wessinger, Executrix of the estate of Marion E. Wessinger, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 28th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 24, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Ruth Penn Neal, Administratrix of the estate of Kathryn L. Neal, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 28th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 24, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Gretta Williams Horne, Executrix of the estate of James Kermit Horne, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 28th day of November f1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the heairng of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 24, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Arthur Robert McLinden, Jr., Executor of the estate Rita Marie McLinden, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 21st day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 20, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Annie N. Matthews, Executrix of the estate of Fletcher Boyd Matthews, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 21st day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 20, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Mitchell Hopkins, Adminsitrator CTA of the estate of William Lewis Hopkins, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 21st day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 20, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Charles D. Davis, Executor of the estate of Thelma C. Davis, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 21st dav of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 20, 1977
11/18

Legal Notices

ESTATE [illegible]

All persons having claims against the estate of Forrest L. Whe[illegible] deceased, are hereb notified to file the same, duly veri[illegible], with the undersigned, and [illegible]se indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

The South Carolina
National Bank, Executor
P.O. Box 168,
Columbia, S.C., 29202
Columbia, S.C.
October 27, 1977
11/18

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Anna Burstein deceased, are herebyl notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigne,d and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Meta Miller, Executrix
c/o George H. Davis, Jr., Attorney
2016 Lincoln Street
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
October 27th, 1977
11/18

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Bowie Kermit Simmons, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Edith M. Simmons,
Executrix
1219 Denny Road
Columbia, S.C. 29203
Columbia, S.C.
October 28, 1977
11/18

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Edwin Frank Jarrell, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Patricia Alice Jarrell,
Administratrix
c/o Jan Strifling, Atty.
1332 Pickens Street
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
October 27, 1977
11/18

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Elma Edmunds, Executrix of the estate of Sadie Maund Rice Parks, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a fianl discharge as such Executrix; and that the 28th day of November, 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 27, 1977
11/25

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Thomas E. Grigsby, Executor of the estate of Gussie D. Grigsby, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor ; and that the 28th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 27, 1977
11/25

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Margaret W. Johnson, Executrix of the estate of Lemuel R. Johnson, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 28th day of November, 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 27, 1977
11/25

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Jack H. Odam, Executor of the estate of Maude H. Wrenn, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 28th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 27, 1977
11/25

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Eleanor Poole, Executrix of the estate of Annie C. Wise, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 28th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 27, 1977
11/25

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Jeanne Kelly McMaster, Executrix of the estate of Bernice Heriot Kelly, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 28th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 27, 1977
October 27, 1977
11/25

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Ted W. Hall, Executor of the estate of Una Mae Hall, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 28th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 27, 1977
11/25

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Islene J. Entzminger, Executrix of the estate of Floyd L. Entzminger, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 28th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 27, 1977
11/25

NOTICE OF FILING

State of South Carolina
County of Richland
James C. Inman,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Kathy P. Inman,
Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Complaint in the above entitled action was filed for record with the Clerk of Court in Richland County on the 19th day of October 1977.

WILLIAM R. APPLEGATE
ATTORNEY FOR
PLAINTIFF
West Columbia, South Carolina
October 24, 1977
11/11

SUMMONS

State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE FAMILY COURT
James C. Inman,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Kathy P. Inman,
Defendent.

TO THE DEFENDANT ABOVE-NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND REQUIRED to answer the Complaint in this matter, a copy of which is herewith served on you, and to file a copy of your Answer to said Complaint upon the subscriber at his office. Suite 2, Granby Law Building, 1700 Sunset Boulevard, West Columbia, South Carolina, within twenty (20) days from the service thereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the Complaint within the time aforesaid, then the Complaint herein will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

WILLIAM R. APPLEGATE
ATTORNEY FOR
PLAINTIFF
West Columbia, South Carolina
July 11, 1977.
11/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Ware Carns deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Alton L. Carns, Executor
6733 N. Trenholm Road
Columbia, S.C. 29206
Columbia, S.C.
October 24th, 1977
11/18

ESTATE NOTICE

All per[illegible] having claims against th[illegible]te of Calvin A. Green, Jr. deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

William Dargan Green,
Executor
c/o Ray L. Derrick
P.O. Box 716
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
October 20, 1977
11/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having [illegible]ms against the estate o[illegible]y Hamilton Farkas deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Roland Z. Farkas,
Administrator
c/o J. Wesley Drawdy, Atty.
P.O. Box 1413
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
October 20, 1977
11/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Rosanna Moses deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

South Carolina National
Bank and I.I. Moses, Jr.,
Executors
P. O. Box 168,
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
October 21, 1977
11/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Gussie W. Goff, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

W.E. Goff & Julia G. Clark,
Executors
c/o Oswald & Floyd, Attys
744 Sunset Blvd, Suite 201
W. Columbia, S.C. 29169
Columbia, S.C.
October 27, 1977
11/18

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Jimmie W. Varnadore deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

[illegible]ames E. Varnadore,
Executor
P.O. Box 2
Dorchester, S.C. 2943[illegible]
Columbia, S.C.
October 27th, 197[illegible]
11/18

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Arthur Noah, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Gregory K. Leevy,
Administrator
c/o Thomas D. Broadwater, Sr., Atty.
1900 Taylor Street
Columbia, South Carolina
Columbia, S.C.
October 25, 1977
11/18

CITATION

Th[illegible] f South Caro[illegible]a
R[illegible]d County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Carrie Washington has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of James Washington deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia, S.C., on the 10th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said adminsitration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 26th day of October, A.D. 1977,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
11/11

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that James B. Scoggins, Administrator of the estate of Emma Mae Scoggins, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administrator; and that the 17th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 17, 1977
11/11

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Judy W. Grubbs, Adminsitratrix of the estate of Alan T. Grubbs, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 17 th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,

Richland County, S.C.
October 17 1977
11/11

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Carol P. McLean, Adminsitratrix of the estate of Samuel A. McLean, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Administratrix; and that the 17th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge
Richland County, S.C.
October 17, 1977
11/11

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby givent hat Peggy Cook, Executrix of the estate of Edward Lee Cook, Jr., Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 17th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 17, 1977
11/11

CITATION

The State of South Carolina
Richland County
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE
BY A. RAY HINNANT, Probate Judge, Richland County

WHEREAS Mildred Braggs has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the estate of Frank Braggs deceased:

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at Columbia S.C., on the 14th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 27th day of October, A.D. 1977,

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
11/11

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Earle C. Meetze, Executor of the estate of Ida E. Meetze, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executor; and that the 14th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 13, 1977
11/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Bertha Lee Gantt deceased, are hereby notifed to file, the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Ruby Lee McIntyre and
Kathleen Boyles,
Executrices
c/o Ray L. Derrick, Atty.
P.O. Box 716
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
October 20, 1977
11/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Herbert F. Gaines deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Kay F. Gaines, Executrix
7642 Burdell Drive,
Columbia, S.C. 29209
Columbia, S.C.
October 20, 1977
11/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Mary Jewel Hydrick Branham, deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Grover Cleveland Hydrick,
Executor
c/o T. Patton Adams, Atty
1225 Washington Street
Columbia, South Carolina
29201
Columbia, S.C.
October 20, 1977
11/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Louise H. Steel, III deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Lucy M.C. Steel, Executrix
c/o John T. Moore,
c/o Robinson, McFadden,
Moore, & Pope, Attorneys,
P.O. Box 944
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
October 19th, 1977
11/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Edith Thompson deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Margaret Hepburn,
Administratix, CTA, DBN
c/o Lourie, Draine, Curlee
and Swerling, Attys.
1224 Pickens Street
Columbia, S.C. 29201
Columbia, S.C.
October 21st, 1977
11/11

SUMMONS

State of South Carolina
County of Richland
IN THE FAMILY COURT
William N. Reese and Laura S. Reese,
Petitioners,
vs.
Bryan O'Neal Sullivan and Cynthia Renee Sullivan, a minor over the age of fourteen years,
Respondents.

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the petition in this action of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of which is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said petition on the subscriber at his office, 1712 St. Julian Place, (P.O. Box 1017), Columbia, S.C., within twnety days after the service thereof, exlcusive of the date of such service, and if you fail to anser the petition within the time aforesaid, the petitioners in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the petition.

John A [illegible]ason
Attorn[illegible] for Petitioners
John R. [illegible]. Major
Clerk - [illegible]amily Court
Fifth Judicial Circuit
Columbia, So[illegible]th Carolina
October 12, 1 77

N[illegible]TICE

TO BRYAN [illegible]'NEAL SULLVAN, RESPO[illegible]DENT ABOVE NAMED:

TAKE NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the petition in the above captioned motion, together with the summons, of which the foregoing is a copy, were duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Court for Richland County at Columbia, South Carolina, on the 12th day of October, 1977.

John A.Mason
Attorney for Petitioners
October 12, 1977
11/14

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Herbert A. Cowart deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

La Ferne Coy Cowart,
Executrix
149 Carol Ann
Columbia, S.C. 29206
October 18th, 1977
11/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate James D. Mathis deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

Barbara A. Scott, Executrix
P.O. Box 474
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
October 20, 1977
11/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Frances J. Potter deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

A. Eugene Jarrett,
Administrator
c/o John M. Williamson,
c/o Cromer & Craig,
Attorneys, P.O. Box 11675
Columbia, S.C. 29211
October 18th, 1977
11/11

ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Richard W. Shackelford deceased, are hereby notifed to file the same, duly verified, with the undersigned, and those indebted to said estate will please make payment likewise.

C.W.S. Horne, Executor
P.O. Box 1499,
Columbia, S.C. 29202
Columbia, S.C.
October 11, 1977
11/4

FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Evelyn Thorne Brown, Executrix for the estate of Mary Selma Brown, Deceased has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such Executrix; and that the 14th day of November 1977, at 10 o'clock A.M., at my office has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

A. RAY HINNANT
Probate Judge,
Richland County, S.C.
October 14, 1977
11/11

Frank McGuire

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during his arrivals at and departures from two other universities.

The real drama, strife and political infighting began when USC supporters were presented with an intra-university struggle between Jim Carlen and former Lower Richland high school coach Mooney Player.

McGuire, figuring he had served the University long enough to be named athletic director, went before the board of trustees to present his credentials after Dietzel departed. At this time, the Board, after much confusion, was ready to appoint Carlen head football coach, but the question of who was to be in charge of the athletic department remained unanswered. After McGuire finished his carefully-worded talk to the Board, he ad-libbed that he favored the appointment of Monney Player. Members of the Board panicked--those who were orginally for Player fell back into their camp; those who backed Carlen--Sol Blatt Sr., T. Eston Marchant and Michael Mungo--became enraged at McGuire and could from that moment on be considered to be alienated from him.

In a decision that resembled the execrable judgement of the infamous Soviet Union "Troika Plan" for the United Nations General Assembly during the peak years of the Cold War, the USC Board of Trustees hired Carlen as football coach and athletic director in charge of football, made McGuire A.D. for basketball, and appointed Harold "Bo" Hagan, who previously represented Dietzel at important functions like funerals of Gamecock Club members, to head all other sports.

The "Great Compromise" would last one year. Then the Board, impressed by Carlen's initial season record (7 wins, 5 losses), gave way to the football coach's demands for autonomy. McGuire was to remain as head of the basketball program, but he had little influence over the business and financial aspects of the department as a whole. This was reserved for Carlen's appointed assistant John Moore.

Under the new set-up, little things began to happen to McGuire and his staff that they never before experienced. Unfortunately for McGuire, it all coincided with the decrease in the number of games his team won each year, and a decline in attendance. (Many close to the basketball program believe both these setbacks could easily be overcome by reentering the ACC--a position Carlen disagrees with.) Issues such as McGuire's expense account and vouchers for some items costing less than two

Jim Carlen

dollars were now being questioned in front of the USC Board of Trustees. McGuire felt insulted and demeaned. His associate head coach, Donnie Walsh, lucidly and eloquently refuted each charge against the basketball office. (Walsh was later to be damaged because of his loyalty to McGuire. For example, Walsh failed to receive a raise during his last two years at Carolina, despite the fact that every Carlen aide received financial boosts during the same time period. Walsh was understandably miffed--he could remember years back when he had refused the elegant rewards offered to him by zealous alumni and supporters, and now he could not even get standard-of-living increases.)

Probably no other athletic department in any major university has a similar divisive arrangement, characterized by more than one master in a single classification. The situation was symbolic not of what McGuire had been given in return for his many services to the University, but what had been denied him despite those services.

Following Carlen's winning premiere season, Carolina football fans had their expectations quite high, but end-of-season defeats to Wake Forest and Clemson (two squads which won only four other games between them) ruined any chance of a better than mediocre record. In the current season, Carlen and his often-designated "best coaching staff in the country" can hope at best for a seven and five record, but must realistically plan for a break-even season. He would not even break even were it not for a twelfth game in Hawaii, which will no doubt add one to the "Win" column and offer what one local journalist succinctly labelled a chance to go to "the Fantasy Bowl."

Yet the Board of Trustees has just voted Carlen a five-year extension on his contract--even before the season ends--giving credence to the simplistic "Peter Principle." One should ask why the Board is showing loyalty and confidence at this time to Jim Carlen and not Frank McGuire, who has proven himself to be an asset to the University they represent.

The Board of Trustees never asked Frank McGuire his age while his quintets were consistently rated in the nation's top ten. They never criticized his outspokenness while he won 20 games for so many years. They never offered--as USC President Holderman foolishly did recently--to "promote" him when he was berating ACC officials like Eddie Cameron of Duke or Commissioner James Weaver. They never ridiculed him for hiring Ben Jobe, a black assistant coach with exemplary credentials reaching far beyond the perimeters of basketball. That is, not until Jobe, the former head coach at S.C. State, was officially appointed McGuire's number one aide. The criticism of that particular move says two things about the knowledge and nature of the few men trying to usurp McGuire's office. First, they do not know anything about the game of basketball or the coaching profession. Second, they apparently fear having a individual whose skin color is not white so close to a prestiguous position. That attitude is both revolting and barbaric.

Two years ago, McGuire did the Board of Trustees a favor. He hired Greg Blatt, grandson of trustee Sol Blatt Sr., as one of his assistants. It was a move that hurt McGuire.

Greg Blatt is a nice young man who likes basketball. So what? One day he may be a very fine coach, but he did not deserve the job ahead of some other interested parties; i.e., Bob Carver, Jim Walsh, Jimmy Powell, and now Kevin Joyce. Due to restrictive NCAA rules, there is no room for them on the staff. McGuire is loyal. He realized he erred in hiring Blatt, and his close friends told him to

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